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From a late BRISTOL JOURNAL.

Miscellaneous Remarks *on the Happy Effects which naturally result from* UNION *of Principles, either respecting* Nations *or private* Societies *of Men.*

UNION, establish'd on just Principles among Men of Honour, and a right Way of Thinking, will, on all Occasions, like the CLUB of *Hercules*, sooner or later, carry its Weight against *Envy* and *Opposition*; whatever Attempts may be used to stop the Progress of it's Success, or to weaken it's Influence by the Force of Artifice, or wrong founded Arguments.

In like Manner, UNION, preserv'd within the Bounds of *Reason* and *Decency*, will break through all the Bounds of Dissention and Discord;—cement Mankind in the Links of Unity and Cordial Friendship;——reconcile public and private Heartburnings and unneighbourly Animosities; and by mild and gentle Persuasions to its *Cause*, it will, in due Time, win even the Hearts of *Those*, who from mere Humour, Caprice, or a wrong Turn of Thinking, had *before* fallen in with, and implicitly espous'd Principles of a quite different Tendency; Not giving themselves the Time or Trouble to enter into a rational Disquisition (as every Man ought) on their *Fitness* and Propriety:—Or, at all exerting their *own* Faculties in distinguishing coolly, and dispassionately, between the real Merits of *Right* and *Wrong*.

This, in plain Truth, is the very Case of many who associate themselves, among particular Communities, or Bodies of Men; without making a fair Enquiry into the Rules of Action, and Consistency of Behaviour, by which they ought to govern and conduct themselves towards their KING, their *Country*, their Neighbour, or in a Word, their *own* immediate *Interest* and Felicity.

Without *such* an Exertion of our *own* Reason and Faculties, (abstracted from a blind Adherence to *Party*) I dare pronounce the most deluded *Romanist*, who ignorantly follows in an unknown Tongue, the arbitrary Dictates of his Priest,—even *such* Votaries bear the Testimony of a better, and more rational Capacity than *those* above hinted to.

Hence in a few Moments, may be drawn the Consequence of UNION among ourselves, in its Political Sense and Latitude; I mean particularly as *Englishmen*, and *Protestants*. For Instance:——Should an *Italian*, or a *Frenchman*, pretend to prove, that the Constitution of *Italy* or *France*, gave a more generous Scope of Liberty and Freedom to its Subjects than that of *Great Britain*; could any Thing be more preposterous? Or, that it would be more eligible to the Honour and Interest of *Old England*, to have a *Prince* among it's Subjects who was notoriously born, and bred up, in the very Centre of the *Court of Rome*; suck'd in their Tenents, with the first Milk that gave him Nourishment; whose Head and Heart had imbib'd the Principles of *that Church*, to a Degree of Impossibility ever to be eradicated; whole *Family* (from their unhappy Behaviour, and Forfeiture of solemn Oaths) had, for above a Century past, by Turns, introduced the most calamitous Scenes of public Confusion and Bloodshed, both in *England* and *Scotland*.—Circumstances undeniably true from the fairest Records of History.

Let us, I say, only suggest to ourselves such Facts, and Establishment of *such a Prince*, were it possible, upon the Throne of *Britain*, and that such Arguments should be enforc'd upon us, as above observ'd; Could any Man in his Senses (as a *Briton*) be brought to a Belief of all this? Or, acquiesce with such baneful Absurdities?—Surely not? No more than one could agree to an equal Propriety, or Sameness, in Darkness or Light: Fire to Water, or any other irreconcileable Paradox, diametrically opposite to the Rectitude of right Reason, Philosophy, or the certain Rules of Mathematical Demonstration.

If this Solution then, or way of Reasoning be just, in the particular Sense I have thus briefly stated it;——What other kind of Arguments is it possible to substitute, or advance, as a Refutation to the wild and extravagant Sentiments of *Those*, who (without any further *Proof*, than their own bare *Assertions*) would industriously insinuate contrary Positions, and Principles?

The Inference on these short Remarks, (which I happen'd accidentally at present to be led into) amounts to this certain, infallible, and unerring *Truth*.—— UNION of Hearts, Hands, and Principles, as Englishmen and Protestants, has ever supported and preserved us, against all Attempts of our Enemies:——UNION! wherever it prevails, excites Mankind to a generous Harmony, and reciprocal Friendship one towards another. Therefore may UNION continue to cement *Britons* together on all public and private Occasions, that the hateful Epithet of *Party Distinctions*, may for ever be forgot in every Part and Place of this (otherwise) *Happy Island*.

Being so United, we should become terrible to our Enemies, as an Army with Banners;—Be a Comfort to, as well as rejoice the Hearts of our Friends and Allies;—No Foreign Power, as knowing our Strength, would dare to insult or oppose us;—PEACE! would be perpetual, and TRADE would never cease in it's Productions of even Immensity of *Wealth*, more than a thankful Heart could well desire.

The Difference, between To-Day *and* Tomorrow.

TO Day Man's dress'd in Gold and Silver bright;
Wrapt in a Shroud before Tomorrow Night.
To Day he's feeding on delicious Food;
Tomorrow dead; unable to do good.
To Day he's nice, and scorns to feed on Crumbs;
Tomorrow he's himself,—a Dish for Worms.
To Day he's honour'd, and in vast Esteem;
Tomorrow not a *Beggar* values him.
To Day he rises from a Velvet Bed;
Tomorrow lies in one that's made of Lead.
To Day his House, tho' large, he thinks but small;
Tomorrow no Command, no House at all.
To Day he's sony Servants at his Gate;
Tomorrow scorn'd, not one of 'em will wait.
To Day perfum'd, as sweet as any Rose;
Tomorrow stinks in every Body's Nose.
To Day he's grand, majestic, all Delight;
Ghastly and pale, before Tomorrow Night.
True, as the the Scriptures say, *Man's Life a Span*;
This present Moment is the *Life of* MAN.

PARIS, *October* 2.

WE hear from Rochfort in Auvergne, that on the 3d Instant there fell so heavy and violent a Rain in that Neighbourhood, that most of the Houses in that Place, and two whole Villages, were carried away by the Force of the Torrents.

Naples, Aug. 30. Some few Days ago, as several Workmen were digging up a Piece of Ground in the Out-parts of this City,

City, they found buried deep in the Earth a brazen Statue erected on a pedestal, on which there was an Inscription, which tho' very much defaced, yet there appeared so much of it legible, as to intimate that it was at first erected in Honour of Roger the VIIIth King of Sicily.

His Majesty has ordered the said Statue to be carefully convey'd to his Palace, in order to be depositted there among a great Number of other valuable Pieces of Antiquity.

Madrid, Sept. 9. By Letters received from Cadiz, we are informed, that a Council of War was held on the 13th of August last, consisting of the Director general of the Marine, and of ten Officers of divers Degrees, belonging to the said Corps, who then made it their principal Business to examine into the true State of the Lieutenant General the Maquis de Spinola's Case, and to consider on the several Misdemeanors which were laid to his Charge, in regard to his keeping the Fleet under his Command at the Havanna longer than ordinary, and afterwards casting Anchor at Martinico; also, in regard to divers other Incidents in that Voyage; that the said Director general, and the rest of the Officers, of which the said Council of War consisted, not only with one Voice approved of his Conduct, but pronounced all the Allegations brought against him false and malicious.

In consequence whereof his Catholic Maj sty had declared, by a particular Edict for that Purpose, dated August 25, that the Conduct of the General Spinola had been in all Respects conformable to the Orders of the Marine; that he had acted with great Prudence and Discretion and that his Majesty was entirely satisfied with the Reasons he gave for his Detention at the Havanna and Martinico, as also with every other Incident of that Voyage.

Rome, Sept. 12. The 10th Instant we received the News of a Fire having broke out in the Forest of Caserto, belonging to the Prince of that Name, which is about ten Miles in Length, and almost as broad; it spread with such Fury, that there is not a Tree nor a Shrub now left in the Forest.

Petersburg, Sept. 8. The Synod has received Letters from the College established for the Propagation of the Gospel among the People of Asia, whereby it appears, that during the first six Months of the present Year they have brought into the Pale of the Greek Church 5182 Men, and 2532 Women; all which Converts have been made among the Tartarian Nations inhabiting the Kingdom of Casan and the Government Orenburg, and also among those that are known by the Appellations of Tschouwasckes, Czeremisses, Mordoins, Votacks Calmucks and Zugenians. It is certain, that the Clergy of this Empire spare no Pains to propagate Religion; and the State reaps this Benefit from their Endeavours, that the above mentioned Nations become better Subjects to the Empress by receiving the Light of the Gospel.

LONDON.

The *Westminster Journal, September* 8, makes Remarks on the *Spanish, French*, and even *Algerine* Courts, unfriendly Treatment of us, since the Peace, tho, we have a Fleet hitherto superior to them all.——On which Subject the *Remembrancer, Sept.* 22, observes---When we are *not* in a Condition to command Respect, *Algiers* will affront us; when we *are*, we may recal Mr. *K*—— from *Madrid*, and Mr. *T*—— from *Paris*.

October 5. Tho' it has been doubted by many, whether the Report of the King of Prussia's receiving a Subsidy of Thirty Millions of Livres from the French Court, be true, yet those who have taken the Matter into Consideration, affirm, From whence the King of Prussia draws the necessary Resources for maintaining an Army of 140,000 Men, when his Father, and Grand-father, with all the subsidies which it was well known they enjoy'd, and without being at the extraordinary Expences which are now a Days laid out in Diversions, could never maintain above a third Part of that Number of Troops.

St. JOHN's in Antigua, October 5.

Yesterday Morning arrived the Ship Charlotte, Richard Parish, late Master (now commanded by Robert Bishop) bound from Jamaica for London; but put in here to refit their Damage received in a violent Gale of Wind on the 9th of September last, in Lat. 40, 10, and Lon. 50, 2. The Description of which we believe will not be unacceptable to our Readers, if given in the Words of one of the Passengers, as follows, viz.

"On the 9th of September, in the Lat. 40, 10, began a most violent Gale of Wind, and continued very hard till Noon; about One it increased to a Hurricane; the Wind from every Point of the Compass seemed to strive for Power, the Sea ran with the most violent Agitation, and in different Ways, so that the Helm was very soon no Government to the almost buried Ship. The poor Captain behaved with Fortitude and Presence of Mind, far superior to what I could have expected under such fearful Circumstances; for after the Vessel had breach'd too, and was overwhelmed with Oceans of boisterous Waves, he gave Orders for the Mizen and Main Masts to be cut away; which was accordingly done; not two Minutes after, the Seas split our Long Boat like Paper, and carried that, with the spare Masts and Booms overboard; it did not stop there; it blew every Sail to Rags, broke the Yards, tore down the Fore-Top-Mast, all the Rigging, and carried away one of the Pumps. The poor Captain anxious for the Loss of the Pump, and willing to give Spirits to some of the Sailors who were in Tears, and hiding themselves from the Fury of the Storm, was suddenly, and unseen, washed overboard, and perished; Hen-coops, Guarding Rails, Compasses and Companion, were thrown into the Sea; the Seamens Chests blown also away; all the Water on the Deck and in the Forecastle, flowed; the Sheet-Anchor, and one of less Weight, Capstane, and a little Boat, were cut away to lighten her; but our Misfortunes were not to terminate here. The Sea carried away one of our Quarter-Galleries, and rushed with incredible Impetuosity into the Cabbin; suddenly we had as much Water below as upon Deck, Trunks, Boxes, and Beds, broke loose, some were shattered to Pieces, and every Body suffered. Never did Eyes behold a Scene so deplorable as this produced; the Painter's Imagination could never equal the Horrors that dispersed themselves in so many different and melancholy Forms, not one but had the ghastly Expectation of momentary and miserable perishing, imprinted on their Countenance; Despair appeared in every Face, amidst the promiscuous Cries of Men, Women and Children; some calling to the Lord to have Mercy on them, for they were gone; others accusing the Waves with Cruelty, that delayed putting an End to their Miseries, which nothing but a patient Resignation to Almighty God, in those dreadful Moments, could attenuate or solace. I was one of those who felt the Horrors of Death, as I believed nothing but a Miracle could save or protect me from the impending Danger; I, however, did not keep myself unemployed, but with a Bucket assisted to get the Water out of the Cabbin and Steerage, till four o'Clock; about which Time the News of the Captain's perishing was in every Body's Mouth. I must own, it did not afflict me much, as I was persuaded we were soon to follow him; for the Carpenter who had been to sound the Well, came upon Deck wringing his Hands, declaring there was 7 Feet Water in the Hold, and only one Pump; I was then very wet, and had not a dry Rag to put on, extremely tired, and almost starved with cold; nevertheless invigorated with the Desire of Self preservation, I gave all the Assistance I could for a few Hours, but was at last so fatigued, that I was obliged to leave them. Some of our Guns were thrown overboard, and by the most signal Providence of God, beyond all our Hopes and most despairing Expectations, about Ten at Night the Storm ceased, and we arrived here this Day."

PHILADELPHIA, January 29.

Last Week a Dutch Woman endeavoured to get a Sum of Money from Mr. Samuel Noble, of this City, Tanner, in the following Manner; Mr. Noble it seems, had bought a Servant Girl, a Daughter of this Woman's, and for some Misdemeanor of hers, had given her proper Correction; upon which the Mother comes to his House, and abuses him and Family in a very gross Manner, for which he only turn'd her out of Doors, after this she goes to some of her Friends, and advises with them what was best to be done, in order to get this Money; who got her Face and Arms coloured (in a very dextrous Manner) blue, black, and yellow; so that she appear'd to have been terribly beat and bruised, and seem'd to be in a most deplorable Condition. When this was done, her Friends went to Mr. Noble, told him, they were surprized he should use an old Woman in so barbarous a Manner; that she was resolved to prosecute him, &c. but that if he would pay a certain Sum of Money, they would endeavour to make it up; if not, he must go before the Mayor. Mr. Noble, conscious of his Innocence, told them he had not used the Woman ill, nor would he

he pay them any Money. On which they, with the Woman, went to the Mayor (ready to ſwear to the Fact) and preſented her to him in the ſeemingly miſerable Condition above related. The Mayor (before whom ſhe acted her Part well, by feigning Fits, Faintings, &c.) was ſhock'd at the Sight, and believed, from Appearances, that ſhe was more hurt inwardly than outwardly, ſent for Mr. Noble, and aſked him how he came to uſe the Woman in that cruel Manner? He told the Mayor, as he had done the others, that he had not beat her, and that if it was really ſo as it appeared to be, it had been done by ſome other Perſon, for he had not done it, and believed there was ſome Deceit in the Affair. The Mayor then called for Water and a Towel, to know whether it was a Cheat or not, but while the Water was bringing, ſhe got out at a Back-door, and was making the beſt of her Way off before ſhe was obſerved, when ſome People were ſent to bring her back. When ſhe was brought back, and the Deceit diſcovered, by waſhing off the Paint, ſhe was in ſuch a Rage, that ſhe tore her Face in a violent Manner, ſo that the Blood guſhed out in ſeveral Places, and pinched the Fleſh out of her Arms; which made her really appear the pitiful Object ſhe would have had it believed Mr. Noble had made her. She was then ſent to Priſon, and 'tis hoped will receive a Puniſhment ſufficient to deter others from the like Practices. Her Accomplices got off in the Crowd.

ANNAPOLIS.

At a ſpecial Court of *Oyer and Terminer*, held laſt Week at *Cambridge* in *Dorcheſter* County, *John M'Michael*, a *Portugueze* Sailor, was tried and condemned for the murder of a Man on board a Veſſel there ſome Time before, by ſtabbing him in the Back. The Knife went in above 4 Inches; and very near the poor Man's Heart.

At the ſame Court a Negro Fellow named *Sharper*, belonging to Capt. *Potter*, was try'd for a Rape committed on a White Woman, found Guilty, and receiv'd Sentence of Death.

On the ſecond of this Inſtant, the Schoonet *Aurora*, *John Lovit* Commander (of *Salem* in *New England*, who on his Paſſage from *Cadiz* to *New England* was beat off the Coaſt, and went to *St. Euſtatia*), on his Paſſage from *St. Euſtatia*, was met at Sea by Capt. *Kinney* in a Brigantine, and the Maſter and his Company, brought in here on Saturday laſt. They ſprung a Leak on the 29th of *January*, and with both Pumps conſtantly working, the Water had ſo far gain'd on them, when Capt. *Kinney* Providentially met with them, that the *Aurora* was two Thirds full of Water.

"*Mr.* GREEN, *Calvert* County, *Feb.* 18. 1750-1.

"To the great regret of all who knew him, on Friday the "15th Inſtant, in the 57th or 58th Year of his Age, died "of a very ſhort Indiſpoſition, Doctor JAMES SOMERVELL, "at his Houſe in this County; who was not only Eminent in "his Profeſſion, but a very worthy Magiſtrate, a kind, tender "Huſband, indulgent Father, a true Friend; and, for Hoſpitality, his Character, I think, cannot more truly or better "be expreſs'd, than in the following Lines of Mr. POPE,

A Friend to humane Race;
Faſt by the Road, his ever open Door
Oblig'd, the Wealthy, and reliev'd the Poor.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO BE SOLD *to the Highest Bidder, at* Lower-Marlborough, *by the Subſcribers, for Sterling or Current Money, on Thurſday the 21ſt Day of* March,

THE Dwelling Houſe, Out Houſes and Lot, where Mr. *Hardy* formerly liv'd, in the ſaid Town of *Lower-Marlborough*.

DAVID ARNOLD,
JAMES RUSSELL.

TO BE SOLD, *or Let on Freight to any Part of the* Weſt-Indies,

A SLOOP almoſt new, well Found, and will carry upwards of 2000 Buſhels of Grain, beſide her Neceſſary Proviſions, &c.

Any Perſon or Perſons who incline to Buy or Freight the ſaid Sloop, may apply to WILLIAM GOVANE, Merchant, in *Baltimore-Town*, where ſhe may be view'd.

February 20, 1751.

WHEREAS this is my laſt Year of Collection in my Sheriffs Office, and being willing to Eaſe the People as much as is in my Power, and give them Satisfaction, (as I hope I have hitherto done). I therefore give this public Notice, that I will (unleſs ſome unforeſeen Accident ſhould prevent me), meet at the Houſe of Capt. *John Hammond*, on *Elk-Ridge*, on the 20th and 21ſt Days of next Month, and at the Houſe of Mr. *John Conner*, on the 25th and 26th Days of the ſame Month, and at the Houſe of Mrs. *Sarah Rowles*, on the 3d Day of *April* next, in order to receive the County Dues, from ſuch Perſons as are diſpoſed to pay the ſame, and I ſhall be much obliged to all Perſons that are Indebted to me for Tobacco on their Sheriffs Account, that they will take due Care to make Payment, by the Time the Law Directs, or elſe ſuch Meaſures as are Legal will be taken to ſecure ſuch Debts as ſhall be due after that Time; for it cannot be expected, that I ſhould lie ſo long out of my Tobacco as to put it in ſome other Sheriffs Hands to collect, which would be a Loſs to their

Very humble Servant,

JOHN GASSAWAY,
Sheriff of *Anne-Arundel* Co.

N. B. Conſtant Attendance will be given at my Office, on Tueſday's and Wedneſday's in every Week.

TO BE SOLD

A TRACT of Land lying in *St. Mary's* County, (adjacent to *St. Mary's* River), containing ſix Hundred and Fifty Acres, has a great Stock of valuable Oak Timber on it, with ſome cleared Ground, and pays a yearly Rent of only Nine Shillings Sterling.

Any Perſon inclinable to Purchaſe, are deſired to apply to the Subſcriber hereof, who will ſhew the ſame.

WILLIAM HICKS, junior.

N. B. To prevent Trouble, the Price is 150*l.* Sterling, or the like Sum in Tobacco, at 12*ſ* 6.

IN Purſuance of a late Act of Aſſembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of Mr. *Alexander Cromwell* near *Patapſco*, taken up as a Stray, a Bright Bay Horſe with a blackiſh Mane and Tail, his Mane ſtanding and hanging, and a long Sprig Tail, Paces ſlow, and has no Brand that can be diſcern'd.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

IN Purſuance of a late Act of Aſſembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is in the Poſſeſſion of *Francis Field*, living at the Plantation of the Rev. Mr. *Brogden*, over *South* River, in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Sorrel Mare, has a Star in her Forehead, ſome Saddle Spots on each Side of her Back, and is a Trotter.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living in *Bladenſburg*, on the 12th of this Inſtant *February*, a Convict Servant Man, named *Samuel Sabrle*, a Sawyer, about 5 Foot 10 Inches high, ſlow and heavy in his Gait; had on when he went away, a Jacket and Breeches of *Welch* Cotton, Country made Yarn Stockings and Shoes, an Oſnabrig Shirt, and Felt Hat.

Whoever takes up and brings home the ſaid Servant, ſhall have Two Piſtoles Reward, paid by DAVID ROSS.

N. B. He writes pretty well.

STOLEN from off a Horſe's Back, out of the Subſcriber's Yard, on Sunday Night the 3d of this Inſtant *February*, between 7 and 8 o'Clock, a neat, faſhionable Hunting Saddle, with a Hogſkin Seat, and a green Saddle Cloth; and alſo a Curb Bridle, about half-worn.

Any Perſon that will bring the ſaid Saddle, to the Subſcriber, ſhall have as a Reward, Twenty Shillings; and for diſcovering the Thief, Twenty Shillings more.

WILLIAM REYNOLDS.

Whereas

WHEREAS there is a Vacancy for a Master in *Queen-Anne's* County School: Any Perſon properly qualified, upon applying to the Viſitors of the ſaid School, will meet with as much Encouragement as the Law relating to Free Schools will ſupport them in.

Signed by Order,

NATHAN WRIGHT, Regiſter.

IN Purſuance of a late Act of Aſſembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Richard Loveſton*, living near the *Nottingham* Iron Works in *Baltimore* County, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Sorrel Mare, which has no Brand and is undock'd; ſhe has a large Blaze in the Face, and a ſmall Snip on the Noſe.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Friday the 22d of February, *by the Subſcriber, at his Houſe in* London-Town,

SEVERAL Country Born Negroes, Men, Women, and Children; alſo the following Tracts of Land, lying in *Frederick* County, viz.

One Tract, called *Friendſhip*, containing 400 Acres.

One Tract, called *Gordon's Purchaſe*, containing 150 Acres.

One Tract, called *Exchange*, containing 700 Acres.

Alſo a Leaſe for three Lives of a Tract of Land, called *Fountain Rock Marſh*, containing 500 Acres, being Part of his Lordſhip's Manor, lying in the ſaid County, paying a yearly Quit Rent of Fifty Shillings Sterling.

Any Perſon or Perſons inclining to Purchaſe, may be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale, by applying to *George Gordon* at *Rock-Creek*, in the ſaid County, or to the Subſcriber.

JAMES DICK.

LOST, on the 21ſt of *November* at Night, in *Annapolis*, a very good Saddle, with Braſs Stirrups and a good Saddle Cloth.

Any one who brings it to the Printer hereof, ſhall have Fifteen Shillings Reward.

On Monday the 25th of February, *will be ſold by PUBLIC VENDUE, at the Plantation late Capt.* Carpenter's, *near* Annapolis.

SUNDRY Negroes, Horſes, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Corn, Fodder, and Materials for Plantation Uſe, for Bills of Exchange, or Current Money, and Time given for Payment, if required.

TO BE SOLD,

By the Subſcriber, living in Cecil *County, the following Tracts of Lands and Plantations*, viz.

TWO Hundred and Fifty Acres of Land, Part of a Tract of Land, called *Scat's Level*, (formerly belonging to one *Archibald Douglaſs*) lying in *Baltimore* County, with a good Dwelling Houſe, Out Houſes, and Apple Orchard.

One Thouſand Acres, called the *Three Siſters*, lying in the ſaid County; it is well Timber'd and very convenient to an Iron-Works.

Four Hundred Acres, called *St. George*, lying on the Eaſt Side of *Buſh* River in the ſaid County; it is likewiſe well Timber'd, and is very convenient to an Iron Works.

Three Hundred Acres, called *Paradiſe*, lying on *Patapſco* River, in the ſaid County, with ſome Improvements on Part of it.

One Hundred Acres, lying at the Mouth of *Fuller's* Creek, in *Anne Arundel* County, commonly known by the Name of *Hacket's Point*.

One Hundred Acres, called *Cole's Quarter*, lying on *Shiber's* Creek, in the ſaid County.

Seventeen Acres, called *Heath's Meadows*, lying on the Eaſt Side of a Branch of *Lyon's* Creek, in the ſaid County.

Any Perſon inclinable to Purchaſe, may apply to the Subſcriber, and know the Terms. WILLIAM HEDGES.

ABOUT Twenty Years ago, one *John Perry* of *Choptank* River in this Province, removed from thence to *New Topſail* in *North-Carolina*, and there died (ſome few Years ſince) poſſeſſed of a ſmall Eſtate in Land; he left Iſſue only one Son, who is likewiſe ſince Dead. And as I have been informed there are ſome of that Name now living at *Choptank* aforeſaid, who may poſſibly be of the ſame Family; I have taken this Method of acquainting them, that the Eſtate aforeſaid is well worth their enquiring after, and if they think proper to apply to the Subſcriber, living in *Cecil* County, they may be fully informed about it.

WILLIAM HEDGES.

BENJAMIN SUTTON,

Now living at Broad-Creek *on* Kent-Iſland, *where* Valentine Carter *lately liv'd*,

HEREBY gives Notice to the Public, That he now keeps good Boats, and ſkilful Hands, for croſſing the Bay, in all Weathers, with Paſſengers, Horſes, or Carriages, at the uſual Price; where all Gentlemen and others may be ſure of good Entertainment for themſelves and their Horſes, from

Their humble Servant,

BENJAMIN SUTTON.

LEFT at the Subſcriber's, at the Head of *Patapſco* River, in *Anne-Arundel* County, in *October* laſt, by Two Men who ſtopp'd Capt. *Judd* and Mr. *Choſe* on the *Patapſco* Road and robb'd the latter, a middle ſized Bay Horſe, branded on the near Buttock M, he is a Trotter, and has a large Star in his Forehead, and was left in lieu of a Horſe they took from

THOMAS TODD.

IN Purſuance of a late Act of Aſſembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is in the Poſſeſſion of Mr. *Edward Norwood*, in *Baltimore* County, the Two following Strays, viz.

A large Bay Mare, about Fourteen Hands and a Half high, has a Blemiſh in her left Eye, a Mark or Scar on her near Buttock, high up, has a hanging Mane, and Switch Tail.

ALSO, A Grey Mare, about Thirteen Hands and a Half high, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock I S, has a hanging Mane and Switch Tail.

The Owner or Owners may have them again, on proving their Property, and paying Charges.

BARBADOES Rum, Sugar, Meaſſes, Loaf Sugar, ſundry ſorts of *European* Wines, *Ratafia*, *Orgit*, *Capillaire*, Black Velvet, Paduſoy, Chocolate, *Florence* Oil, Bar Iron, and *Scotch* Snuff, to be ſold by the Subſcriber, at his Houſe in *Annapolis*.

WILLIAM THORNTON.

SAMUEL MIDDLETON, *in* ANNAPOLIS,

HEREBY gives Notice to the Public, That he now keeps good Boats, and ſkilful Hands, for croſſing the Bay, in all Weathers, with Paſſengers, Horſes, or Carriages; where all Gentlemen and others may meet with conſtant Attendance, and kind Uſage.

TURLINGTON's Balſam of Life, *Stoughton's* Bitters, *Weſt-India* Rum, Meaſſes and Sugar, by the Hogſhead; Chocolate, freſh Limes, Long *London* Pipes by the Box or Gruſs, and Slops, to be ſold very Cheap by *Samuel Middleton*, at his Houſe on the Dock in *Annapolis*.

For LONDON, *the Ship* Neptune,

Malachy Trewheſla, *Commander*,

Now lying in Patuxent *at* Lower-Marlborough,

WILL take in Tobacco at Five Pounds Ten Shillings Sterling *per* Ton, conſigned to any Merchant in *London*.

IF Mr. WILLIAM PROBART, who lived in *St. Mary's* County, in the Year 1739, will apply to Dr. DAVID ROSS at *Bladenſburg*, he will be informed of a conſiderable Legacy left to him in *England*.

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